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E.O.11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: GDR HUMANITARIAN CASE:" SECOND LIST". ANNEGRET ERIKA

SANDMANN

REF:(A) BERLIN 6208,

1. EMBASSY SENT MFA SECOND NOTE IN THIS CASE ON JULY 7 ALONG THE
LINES REPORTED IN PARA . 3, REF.(A).

2. ON AUGUST 12, MS. SANDMANN VISITED THE EMBASSY TO ADVISE THAT
ON AUGUST 10 SHE HAD BEEN ORALLY INFORMED BY A MR. PFLUG, CHIEF,
INTERIOR SECTION, ZERBST DISTRICT COUNCIL, THAT HER APPLICATION TO
MARRY HAD BEEN REFUSED. NO REASONS WERE GIVEN WHEN SHE ASKED WHY
HER APPLICATION HAD BEEN REFUSED.

3. MS. SANDMANN SAID THAT SHE AND MR. KMETH WILL PERSIST WITH THEIR
ATTEMPTS TO MARRY AND THEN FORHER TO LEAVE THE GDR. SHE SAID THAT SHE
HOPES THE EMBASSY WILL STILL RENDER SSISTANCE IN HER CASE. EMBOFF
(WOLF) ASSURED HER THAT WE WOULD DO ALL THATWAS APPROPRIATE TO
ASSIST
HER AND MR. KMETH.

4. MS. SANDMANN PROPOSED TO RESUBMIT HER APPLICATION TO MARRY
MR. KMETH WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS. IF THIS REAPPLICATION IS
ACCEPTED, THE EMBASSY WILL SEND A NOTE WHICH REGRETS THE REFUSAL
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AND ASKS FOR RECONSIDERATION OF THE CASE. IF THE REAPPLICATION

IS NOT ACCEPTED, WE WILL REPORT THAT TOGETHER WITH
A RECOMMENDATION FOR ACTION AT THAT TIME. UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES,
WE BELIEVE THA THE CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST INDICATED BELOW
SHOULD BE INVOKED BY REQUESTING THE CONGRESSIONAL OFFICE CONCERNED
TO APPROACH THE GDR EMBASSY DIRECTLY.

5. CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST: CONGRESSMAN GLENN M. ANDERSON.
COOPER

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